

## LIBERAL RALLY IN VICTORIA THEATRE

Provincial Campaign Will Open This Evening--  
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fident of Victory.

J. A. Macdonald, Liberal leader of the province, who is now in the city, is in the best of spirits. He says, "I am confident of success," and his manner indicates that he realizes that he is playing a winning game. The upper country he says is going decidedly Liberal and every day the signs become more unmistakable that the present government is doomed.

"I would rather be a member of the cabinet of British Columbia than Governor of the Yukon." That is the reason given by W. W. B. McInnes for his return to British Columbia. The ex-Governor of the Yukon explains that with the important position which British Columbia is now occupying the inducements to become identified with the province are great. There can be no question that Mr. McInnes expects the Liberals to sweep the country. He says he did not come back to British Columbia to be a private member of the legislature. He came back to be a member of the next government.

He explains that he came into the present fight because he was urgently requested to do so by the leader of the opposition, J. A. Macdonald.

Under these circumstances he felt he could not well refuse. If he could be of service to the party and the actions of Mr. Macdonald showed that he considered that this was the case, it would not be a polite thing for him to refuse to come into the campaign.

This brief explains fully why Mr. McInnes has returned to the province where he had political birth.

Mr. Macdonald reached Victoria last evening, accompanied by Mr. McInnes. The trip across the province has been a triumphal one wherever stops were made. A very short stay was made in Vancouver, where the train was late in arriving and the party came right on to Victoria. To-morrow evening a grand rally is to be held in Vancouver, when the electors of the Terminal City will have the same opportunity to hear the Liberal policy discussed as is to be afforded Victorians to-night.

Leader Macdonald and his able lieutenant Mr. McInnes are confident of victory at the polls. Mr. McInnes will run for Vancouver, and he says: "I am not running there to lose, either." His remarks given above show that the ex-Governor has no doubt as to the general result of the election.

While the campaign is only now beginning in real earnest in so far as the Liberals are concerned, Mr. Macdonald says that the upper country is decidedly against the government. The leader of the opposition expects to have no difficulty in carrying Rossland. An awkward attempt was made in that riding to unite in one man the Conservative, Labor and Socialist vote. The attempt failed, however. It fell through its own weight, and the prospective candidate who was to combine all

these parties failed to get the Social-ist nomination. The Labor vote also went through the game, and will not desert Mr. Macdonald, whose efforts in the House have always been in the interests of that section of the community.

Nelson will be carried by Dr. Hall, representing the Liberals. Mr. Macdonald says, and this is corroborated by S. S. Taylor, K. C., of that city, who is also in the city to-day.

Kaslo is expected to go Liberal, the nominee being John Keen, who is well known to Victorians, having at one time been a resident here and who later won an enviable reputation as president of the Provincial Miners' Association. Mr. Keen was formerly president of the Provincial Conservative Association. A few years ago he retired from the position and from the party after the spectacle which the present premier made of the conduct of affairs. He now contests Kaslo in the Liberal interests.

Mr. Macdonald says that the upper country can be depended upon to do its duty in the cause of good government and will give the Liberals a clear majority. Vancouver city, he says, is being counted upon to give five Liberals

to the next House, reversing

the situation as it now exists.

Asked what the plan of campaign was, Mr. Macdonald said he would confer with his supporters within reach to-day. It was probable, however, that in order to do the most effective work he and Mr. McInnes would not tour together. They would both endeavor to cover as much of the province as possible and he expected this would mean that they would visit practically every constituency with the possible exceptions of Atlin and Skeena.

Mr. Macdonald expects to begin the campaign on the coast visiting the Vancouver Island constituencies and proceed eastward finishing in the neighborhood of his own riding, Rossland.

Mr. McInnes on the other hand, will probably tour the eastern districts first, finishing on the coast, thus affording each of these speakers a chance to give some attention to their own constituencies at the closing hours of the campaign.

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Seats will be reserved for the ladies this evening in the theatre.

burned out and allowed the water to escape from her boilers. When the boilers cooled the tug's crew made temporary repairs.

The boilers were filled with sea water hauled from over the vessel's side in buckets, and berths and woodwork of the craft were torn out in order to get up sufficient steam to start the oil burning apparatus. When she finally got under headway the Sampson was within a mile of the rocks and driving toward them. Capt. Jones says that when about eight miles from shore Thursday evening he sighted a steamer going south and burned a flare light for over twenty minutes. Although the night was so clear that he could see the steamer's lights she passed on without paying any attention to him.

On his last voyage he explained, he had a good deal of knowledge of the virgin ice in the far Arctic, made a mistake in not making certain allowances for current. Trying again, he would leave his ship in its last winter berth, travel overland to the west and then allow the current to bear him on the moving ice north and east, assisting him toward the pole. Returning, he would again drift eastward, calculating to land on the north-west coast of Greenland. Commander Peary said that he had devoted his life to the work.

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CREATED A FURORE.

Manager Ricketts Tells of Schumann-Helm's Seattle Success.

E. P. Ricketts, lesser and manager of the Victoria theatre and the Vancouver opera house, is believed to have founded on Seal Rocks about 160 miles south of here.

The Sampson was in tow of the tug Sampson, which arrived here badly stove in after a terrible experience with the Elms, which nearly ended in the tug's going to destruction. The Sampson and her tow left San Francisco January 1st. The barque was light and when the heavy storm of Tuesday struck them it was impossible for the tug to handle her tow.

When a few miles north of Seal Rocks, and about fifteen miles off shore, in order to save himself Captain Robert Jones of the Sampson was compelled to cut away his hawser and leave the barque to the mercy of the winds. Five minutes later the barque was out of sight. When last seen the Sampson was listing and making to the westward.

The Sampson attempted to keep the barque in sight but a heavy sea struck her amidships, staving in part of her cabin, flooding her engine and boilers, breaking both water gauges. This mishap allowed the tug's steam to escape. In addition to this her fusible plugs



## Grand Liberal Rally VICTORIA THEATRE

To-Night, January 7th

AT 8 P. M.

### SPEAKERS:

J. A. MACDONALD, K. C., Liberal Leader of B. C.

W. W. B. MCINNES, Ex-Commissioner of Yukon.

JOHN OLIVER, of Delta--"Honest John."

Ladies Cordially Invited. Seats Will Be Reserved for Them.

## THE VOYAGE OF JAP CRUISERS

DEPARTURE OF SHIPS  
WILL BE POSTPONED

Question of Paying Visit to San  
Francisco Has Not Yet Been  
Settled.

(Associated Press)

Tokio, Jan. 6.—It is expected that the departure of the training squadron of cruisers for Honolulu and the Pacific coast will to-day be officially postponed for a week or ten days.

A feeling prevails here in an influential circle that it would not be advisable to include a call at San Francisco in the cruise of the training squadron at a time when the anti-Japanese sentiment is rampant. The proposed visit might be indefinitely postponed.

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JUMPED OVERBOARD.

Insane Patient Committed Suicide  
While on Way From North.

Seattle, Jan. 7.—H. McKeon, an insane patient, committed suicide by jumping overboard from the steamship Dolphin, Capt. McGregor, at 10:10 o'clock on the night of January 4th. The man was being brought down to be confined in the asylum, at Stella-coom.

According to the officers of the ship he was not violent, and was allowed the freedom of the vessel. On the night of January 4th a dance was being held in the saloon of the steamship, which is forward. Practically all the passengers were there.

McKeon was confined aft, but in some way, according to the officers of the vessel, he managed to get out of his stateroom and went up to the smoking room. From there he went up on the hurricane deck and suddenly sprang for the rail. One of the guards, who was near him, reached out and caught him, inflicting a wound from which he is dying at the Central Emergency hospital. Family trouble is given as the cause.

flung overboard, but the man was not again seen.

Chief Officer Hansen stated that there was scarcely a possibility of finding him, owing to the darkness of the night.

Comparatively little is known of McKeon, other than that he had been a marine fireman and was a working man.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—Joseph Radley, a structural worker, to-night shot and killed Mrs. Martha Krueger and her 16-year-old sister, Elizabeth Kelly, and then turned the revolver upon himself, inflicting a wound from which he is dying at the Central Emergency hospital. Family trouble is given as the cause.

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was never blindfolded out and caught at the heart's ease. His effort, however, was useless, and McKeon disappeared overboard.

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## SUFFOCATED BY FUMES OF GAS

## MAN FOUND DEAD IN BOARDING HOUSE

Two Women Rendered Unconscious  
—Steel Corporation Extends Operations.

(Associated Press.)

Medicine Hat, Alta, Jan. 7.—When Wm. Essery, a Canadian Pacific railway fireman, came off his run yesterday afternoon, he found W. Christopher, a boarder, dead in his room and Mrs. Essery and Miss Philip, another boarder, both unconscious, as a result of having inhaled fumes of gas from the furnace. The drafts were not sufficiently strong to carry off the fumes.

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Hockey Matches.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—In Saturday's hockey match Montreal defeated the Shamrocks by a score of 5 to 3. Gray of Cornwall, who played with the Shamrocks, was the star of the match. He is only 18 years old. At Ottawa, the home team defeated Quebec by 6 to 1.

Carnegie's Offer.

Negawh, Jan. 7.—Andrew Carnegie has not overlooked this flourishing town in his distribution of wealth through the erection of free libraries. An offer has just been received from the American Steel King to erect a handsome building here if the town will contribute ten per cent of the cost annually towards maintenance.

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TO OPEN WITH PRAYER.

Rev. H. M. Warren Will Hold Service in Wall Street Every Morning.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 7.—The practice of Mrs. J. Alden Gaylord, who opens each business day in her brokerage office, Wall Street, with prayer, is to be widened so to include many other offices in the heart of New York's financial district.

This was done yesterday by Rev. Henry Marshall Warren. On Wednesday morning he will formally open the business day in the street with a religious sermon in front of the stock exchange.

RAISULI PLEAS.

Flight of Bandit Chief After His Stronghold Had Been Demolished by Sultan's Troops.

(Associated Press.)

Tangier, Jan. 7.—Official confirmation has been received that Raisuli's stronghold had been demolished by the government troops and Raisuli has fled to the mountains. The loss of life was small.

TRAINING QUARTERS BURNED.

Fire at Bangkok, Siam. Caused Loss Estimated at Three Million Dollars.

(Associated Press.)

Bangkok, Siam, Jan. 7.—The Chinese training quarters of Bangkok have been destroyed by fire.

It is estimated that the loss will amount to about \$3,000,000.

ARRESTED BY DETECTIVES.

New York, Jan. 7.—Alexander Berkman, who was released last summer from the state prison in Pennsylvania after having served fourteen years for an attack on Henry C. Frick following the Homestead riots in 1892, has been arrested with Emma Goldman, by detectives who broke up an alleged anarchist's meeting on the east side.

THREE FIREMEN KILLED.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 7.—Three firemen were killed when a fire that burned out the interior of Hill's paper warehouse on Roosevelt street last night.

COAL FAMINE AT VICTORIA.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Jan. 7.—Vancouver has been hit by coal famine with a vengeance. This morning no orders were being taken and neither coal nor wood can be bought here to-day. Cold weather may cause suffering within a few days.

—A great sale of good shoes in G. D. Christie's at the Shoe Emporium. Some of the best values yet offered, even better than the sales of the past few weeks, which have resulted in such enormous business. Better see to your shoe buying now before this sale closes. See that yourself and family are well shod and so prevent sickness and doctor's bills.

—Brooks-Matthews' French classes at Y. M. C. A. 11 a.m., 3 and 5 p.m.; German 2 p.m.

—W. H. Wilhelm, editor of the Coast Magazine, Seattle, is visiting the city. He will remain here a week.

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BRITISH-CANADIAN FIRE INSURANCE CO.

As noted recently the charter of the British-Canadian Fire Insurance Company has been purchased by the British-American Trust Company, Limited. The first meeting of directors was held Saturday when officers were elected and preparations made to commence business. A. C. Flumerfelt was elected president; D. M. Rogers, vice-president; R. W. Riddell, general manager, and N. G. McCulloch, secretary-treasurer. The directors are: A. C. Flumerfelt, H. N. Galer, D. M. Rogers, W. L. Germaine and J. S. Murray. It is the intention to open branches in various centres in British Columbia.

Mr. Riddell, who is well known here, has had a wide experience in several lines of business since first coming to British Columbia in 1889. Previously he was employed for three years in the statistical department of the general offices of the Grand Trunk railway in Montreal, and was engaged in the Kootenay district as manager of the Galena Trading Company. He afterwards assumed the management of the Saunders Grocery Company, this city, or which businesses he had charge until three years ago, when he was appointed joint manager of Simon Leiser & Co., Limited, and relinquished the latter position to assume the management here of the British-American Trust Company, Limited.

This company is now occupying an extensive suite of offices on the second floor of the MacGregor block, having recently added a real estate and an insurance department to their Victoria branch. Branches are in operation in Vancouver, Grand Forks, Spokane and Winnipeg, and their various offices have in the past few years handled the organization of many of the most important incorporations that have been launched in British Columbia and Alberta.

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Extensive deposits of copper exist near Bonnahan, county Tipperary. These were formerly worked by the General Mining Company of Ireland, but the low price of the metal led to the abandonment of the mine about twenty-seven years ago. Up to that time \$230,000 worth of ore had been produced.

Early last year the Bonnahan Copper Mine Development Syndicate, Limited, began operations and the work of pumping out the water that had accumulated, and the preliminary development has proceeded so far that an inspection party organized by the directors visited the mine recently.

This mine is now quite free from water, and ore is already being brought to the surface.

It is proposed to build a pier at Bonnahan, whence the ore after being concentrated will be sent to Swansea for treatment.

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WANTED—Good stenographer and typewriter, one with knowledge of lumber business preferred. Address Box 61, Times Office.

LOST.—A river colored spaniel dog, "Denis" engraved on collar. Reward on return to 26 Miles street.

LOST—On Sunday, lady's gold spring bracelet, in front of St. John's church, Douglas street. Reward for finder at Times Office.

LOST—Lady's brown leather purse, Saturday evening. Finder kindly return to 35 Douglas street.

SAANICH MUNICIPALITY

ELECTION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Saanich that they are required to be present at the School House, Foul Bay road, on the 14th day of January, 1907, from 12 noon to 4 p.m., for the purpose of electing two school trustees for Saanich Municipal School District.

Any person being a householder in the School District, and being a British subject, or the son or daughter of twenty-one years and otherwise qualified by the "Public Schools Act" to vote as an elector, shall be entitled to be elected as a school trustee for the said School District.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows: The candidates shall be nominated in writing, and the writing shall be signed by two voters of the Municipality as proposers and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of nomination and the day of the poll being necessary such poll will be on Saturday, the 19th day of January, 1907, in the following places: for the First Ward, at the Hill School; for the Second Ward, at the School House, Boileau road; for the Third Ward, at the Hall, Gordon Head; for the Fourth Ward, at the Oak School House; for the Fifth Ward, at the Temperance Hall, Saanich.

The voter or voters shall sign their names and place each elector who is duly qualified to vote.

Each elector shall be entitled to cast his vote for two (2) candidates for members of the Board of Education, and which ever person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualifications for a voter shall be:

being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner, in the name of the elector, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the value of £100 or more or having been assessed on the land or real property within the Municipality for taxation purposes, or having been a registered voter for five consecutive years.

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FIRE ON STEAMER.

Several Passengers Suffocated on Board the Lindholmens.

Christians, Jan. 5.—News has been received of a terrible disaster which overtook the mail steamer Lindholmens which plies between this port and Bergen, off Farland Thursday.

The steamer was discovered to be on fire. A strong gale was blowing at the time, and the flames soon spread to the saloons and cabins. Thirty passengers, most of them seabirds, hurried from their quarters to get on deck. Four of them were suffocated in their efforts to get out. Others jumped overboard, and one was drowned. Another passenger went mad. One life boat was burned, and another was crushed against the side of the ship.

Finally, while the remainder of the half dressed and panic-stricken passengers were huddled in the forecastle, in a blinding snow storm, the rest of the ship being in flames, the captain drove the vessel ashore and managed to save the rest of the passengers and the crew.

They were much hardship, however, before all the ship's company were got safely to land. The dangerous nature of the coast made the operation of beaching the Lindholmens most risky.

BURIED ALIVE.

Twenty-Eight Men Believed to Have Been Killed in Railway-Cutting.

Bingen, Hesse, Jan. 5.—Forty workers were buried yesterday evening in the cutting of a new railway line between Lamscheid and Ledingen. The dead bodies of thirteen of the men and fifteen injured workers have been recovered.

An embankment had collapsed, burying two men. To rescue them large parties of other laborers employed along the line were immediately put to work and a wide pit was dug, in which were fifty men, when the overhanging hillside fell, burying forty of the laborers under masses of earth.

Those who were not buried began to dig out their comrades, while messengers were sent to nearby villages asking for help. Several physicians and a large force of workmen were sent to the scene of the disaster.

The rescue work, which was continued throughout the night, was discouraging owing to the possibility of fresh masses of earth falling on the laborers. Most of the workmen killed were young men. Among the injured are three children.

It is probable that there are still fifteen bodies beneath the fallen earth.

VOLUNTEER REGIMENTS.

United States Secretary of War Will Submit New Proposals.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Secretary of War Taft will present to congress next week a draft of a bill for the organization of volunteer regiments in time of war like those organized in 1898 for service in the Philippines, which were commanded by officers of the regular army. The measure is a most comprehensive one and is intended to end the plan of having state volunteer regiments organized and officered by civilian officers, appointed because of their political influence.

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## ORGANIZATION FOR SAANICH

### LIBERALS WILL HOLD MEETING TO-MORROW

J. D. Swanson Issues Strong Adress—Other Political News From Various Points.

The Liberals of Saanich will meet to-morrow to select delegates to attend the convention on Wednesday, which will name the standard bearer for the constituency. The meetings to be held to-morrow evening will open at 8 o'clock, and will be held at the following places: Oak Bay schoolhouse, Temperance hall, Saanich; Royal Oak schoolhouse, Temperance hall, Cedar Hill; and Boleskine road schoolhouse.

J. D. Swanson's Address.

J. D. Swanson, the Liberal Nominee for Kamloops, who is expected to win that seat from Hon. F. J. Fulton, in no uncertain manner outlines his reasons for opposing the present government. In an address to the electors of the district he says:

Having been nominated as the Liberal candidate I beg to solicit your support in the coming provincial election.

The Liberals claim that the McBride government has forfeited all right to the confidence of the electorate. This government is too heavy a load for the province to carry, even though the ship state has been lightened by casting their Jonah (Mr. Green) into the sea.

Regardless of the people's interest they have clung to office as the chief desire of their hearts, allying themselves with the worst type of Socialism, one that would destroy that symbol of our liberties, the Union Jack. Self respecting Conservatives who are true to the traditions of the party led by their chieftain, Sir John Macdonald, must repudiate such a government. Without initiating and carrying into execution a progressive business-like policy, they have laden the backs of the people with excessive taxation; a heavy burden falling on those least able to bear it—the struggling pioneer ranchers of this country. They have at the same time starved the public service of this province, notably in the matter of roads and trails. This primitive method of creating a so-called surplus is indefensible. They have generously given, without right or title, over 30,000 acres of the people's land to the C. P. R. and have thrown in an exemption from taxation for ten years. Their philanthropic proposal to hand over to the C. P. R. in which, the Premier stated at Vernon, so many helpless widows and orphans hold stock) \$1,600,000 as a bonus to build the spur line into Nicola, was only defeated by the patriotic stand of two Conservatives in caucus. That line is now built without costing the province one cent.

The have turned over for a pauper to a favored circle of Mr. Green's friends fifteen square miles of Kootenay Island, an asset which in a few years

will be of incalculable value as the site of the future terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Whilst contributing an excessive toll to the treasury, we have failed to receive adequate compensation in the matter of needed public works, of new or improved roads, trails and bridges. They have destroyed our system of free public schools, whilst by an equitable distribution of taxation they could have made ample provision for the growing educational requirements of our province.

They have notably failed to inaugurate a business-like policy to open up and develop our almost inexhaustible resources in timber, minerals and agricultural lands.

As the last ten years has been the period of unexampled growth in our Northwest, due in a large measure to the progressive

business-like policy of the Federal administration, so the next ten years will be British Columbia's growing time if her great resources are properly husbanded and their development assisted and stimulated by a progressive administration at Victoria.

The Premier, in his memorial on the subject of "Better Terms" at the interprovincial conference, alluded to the non-industrial character of this province compared with Eastern Canada.

We have at our very doors here in Kamloops district and elsewhere in

many parts of this province, the great essentials of industrial prosperity—the raw materials, iron, copper, coal, and we have also the "white coal" of modern industrialism, electric power of enormous voltage which can be generated at Adams river in our own vicinity, now going to waste, while the great

industrial centres of Hamilton and Toronto have to convey from distant

points their raw materials and transmit

their electric power from Niagara (80 miles from Toronto). The problem of cheap power in Ontario has been grappled with by the Ontario government since 1903, both Liberal and Conservative, and to-day has been successfully solved, thanks to the business-like ability of members of those governments.

If electrical power can be sold at Winnipeg at \$40 per horse power and at \$17.50 per horse power in Toronto and transform conditions there as it is doing, what a revolution in the industrial progress of this province will ensue when the government of this province take hold with a like business grasp of this greatest of modern industrial problems, and when we can produce and transmit electrical power at a very much cheaper rate than eastern points.

When that is achieved, Kamloops, Vancouver and other favored points should become important manufacturing and industrial centres. The day is not far distant when, with our great water powers harnessed, we will be milling the wheat of the great prairies, that now has to bear the longer and more expensive haul to the Winnipeg and Keewatin and Montreal mills.

We will then be able to ship our flour in British bottoms from British Columbia seaports direct to the great markets

and around the Horn or by the new Panama canal to Liverpool.

The Liberals, if returned to power, will seek in a business-like way to open up and develop the great potential wealth of this province. Among other things they will aim to secure the following:

1. The creation of a department of labor and immigration; subjects too important to be left as at present without shape or provincial guidance to guard against undesirable immigrants.

2. Full inquiry into water records and irrigation and while protecting prior rights, providing for a wider distribution of water available for irrigation.

3. An adequate system of forest protection.

4. Surveys of crown lands available for settlement, and where practicable, parcelling them into small holdings as part of an immigration policy.

5. Repeal of School Act and return to a system of state education.

6. Revision of the terms of placer and dredging leases, and lessening the danger of inadvertent forfeiture.

7. No alliance with those revolutionaries who would destroy our system of government and haul down our flag, but on the contrary to co-operate with that great body of labor which would reform abuses in a constitutional way.

Owing to the fact that the elections are to be held at such an early date, I regret it will not be possible for me to personally meet all the electors of the district as I should like to do. If elected as the member for Kamloops district, I shall endeavor faithfully to serve the people of this district as a whole and to do my best for the common good of our province.

Candidates Nominated.

Revelstoke has made selection of its candidates. R. Cayley will contest the seat for the Liberals, while the Conservatives will be represented by Thomas Taylor.

The Socialists have added to their list of nominees by selecting Frank Phillips for Nelson and Tom C. Kelly for Cranbrook.

Kaslo.

The Conservatives of Kaslo, according to reports received, are endeavoring to have R. F. Green contest the riding again. They regard this as the only hope of holding the seat. C. W. McLean, who will receive the nomination in case Mr. Green does not accept, cannot command the election. It is regarded as extremely doubtful if Mr. Green could be elected in the face of his record in office. There is a faithful few, however, who cling to him as the only hope of winning the seat.

THE RUSSIAN NAVY.

The Czar Learns of Corruption Responsible for Defeat in Far East.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.—The reorganization of the Russian shattered sea force, which has been kept practically at a standstill by the powerful clique which is fighting to prevent the premier probing into the naval scandals of the grand ducal regime, to which the defeat of the Russians at the battle of the Sea of Japan are largely attributed, has lately received an impetus through the personal interest of the Emperor. At a recent conference of the highest naval authorities summoned by the Emperor and presided over by himself, his majesty enjoined the officers to speak with the utmost frankness, and for the first time he was informed of the full extent of the corruption responsible for the defeat at the hands of the Japanese.

A proposal to adopt the German plan of naval administration was rejected as untimely, because it would be regarded as withdrawing the navy from the control and hence the confidence of parliament, but those present at the conference gathered that the Emperor was determined to put through a complete naval programme.

This programme will be elaborated as soon as the finances of the Empire permit.

TWO EXPLOSIONS.

Four Persons Killed and Four Injured in Powder Mill.

Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 5.—In an explosion in the grinding mill at the Lafelin and Rand Powder Mill Company, in Pleasant Prairie, four persons were killed outright to-day and two others severely injured. Two others were badly hurt.

Several Men Hurt.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 5.—At the Howell mine 8,000 pounds of dynamite in the magazine exploded. Several persons were hurt, but none fatally. All the men in the mine escaped uninjured. The shock was felt 26 miles away at Douglass.

BANK INSOLVENT.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The comptroller of the currency to-day made the following statement regarding the affairs of the Farmers' and Drovers' National Bank of Waynesburg, Pa.:

"The amount of indebtedness of the Farmers' and Drovers' bank on account of rediscouned notes and other frauds perpetrated by Cashier Rinchart is still unknown. Notes have been daily presented to the receiver since his appointment bearing the endorsement of the Farmers' and Drovers' National Bank which were rediscouned in good faith by different banks throughout the country, and it is claimed the bank is liable upon its endorsement, a resolution purporting to have been regularly passed by the directors gave the president, vice-president and cashier each authority to borrow or rediscount.

The amount of these rediscounsts now known to exist is \$1,21,463. It is probable that more such claims will be presented, held by banks which may not care to present their claims sooner than necessary.

"The abilities of the bank including the liability upon rediscounsts will exceed \$2,000,000."

The developments demonstrate that the comptroller was not mistaken in declaring the bank insolvent on December 1st and placing it in the hands of a receiver."

THE HAGUE TRIBUNAL.

London, Jan. 5.—Viscount Selby-Wood, Court Jolly, ex-president of the House of Commons, and Sir Ernest Satow, who was British minister to Pekin, have been appointed permanent representatives of Great Britain at the Hague arbitration tribunal.

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## CASHIER AND ROBBER KILLED

### BANK WRECKED BY BOMB EXPLOSION

Unknown Man Demanded Money and on Being Refused Threw Deadly Missile.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—Cashier McLean was killed and others were injured here to-day in the bank in which they worked, by a bomb which was thrown by a man who demanded money. The stranger who threw the bomb was blown to pieces, and little was left to give a clue to his identity.

Eugene McIlhenny, Cashier McLean's assistant, who returned to the bank building after his wounds had been dressed, said that just prior to the explosion he was about 25 feet from McLean. He noticed a rather tall man talking to the cashier loudly and excitedly and waving one hand. In the other hand he carried a queer looking object wrapped about with a newspaper.

Presently the gaze of everyone in the bank was attracted to the man, whose tones were very low. At this moment the man yelled: "I'll get that money, or know why! It's coming to me!"

McLean's words were inaudible to McIlhenny, but he heard the man shout: "Then you won't give it to me?" McLean shook his head and turned as if to go; whereat the man threw the object he held upon the table between McLean and himself. It exploded instantly with a great puff of white smoke. McIlhenny was knocked down by the explosion, and felt glass and other objects falling upon him. He lost consciousness for probably a moment. When he opened his eyes he saw that the bank had been wrecked, but he could see nothing of the cashier or of the stranger.

The police are hard at work on the theory that the man may have had accomplices and are striving to learn every detail of the affair.

One of the coroner's deputies made an investigation of the scene of the outrage, and found what he believes to have been a part of the bomb. It is a fragment two inches long, cylindrical in shape and several inches in diameter. He also found a Modern Woodman of the World badge, which also probably belonged to the bomb thrower.

The remains of a black rimmed hat were also found.

The dead cashier resided at St. David's, a suburb, with his wife and three children. Mrs. McLean was first informed that her husband had been injured in the explosion. She feared the worst, however, and when the sad news was finally broken to her by a neighbor, she collapsed.

Amongst the most seriously injured are Wm. Crump, colored, private messenger to the president of the bank, badly injured, and may die; William Wright, a bank employee, may die; Thomas Brutter, Lonsdale, Pa., fractured skull; Frank Lebold, clerk; A. F. Dominick, clerk; C. R. Hoctor, clerk; Miss Julia Bradley, stenographer.

The bomb thrower's keys have been photographed by the police, and the pictures will be sent to various cities in the hope of finding a clue which will firmly establish the man's identity. A description of the man has been telegraphed to Garner, Iowa, and other towns in that part of the west.

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## AN INVITATION.

If there are any Conservatives in this city who have been so grievously misled by the palpable pounce and bluster of Premier McBride or the feigned confidence of his organ as to believe that the Liberal party is not entering upon the campaign united, enthusiastic and assured of victory, we invite them to the meeting in the theatre this evening. Mr. J. A. Macdonald, the leader of the Liberal party, and Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, his first lieutenant, will deliver addresses. Mr. Macdonald is not as well known to Victorians as he will be a year from now—that is to say, after he has resided "in our midst" for a time as Premier of the province. He has not had many opportunities of addressing Victoria audiences, and our people are not very familiar with his style as a platform speaker. Those who have had the privilege of hearing Mr. Macdonald on the floor of the legislature will not dispute the statement that as a debater he ranks as the peer of any public man who has ever occupied a seat in the House. It is true the leader of the opposition is "not an orator as McBride is"—he does not rant and rave and roar and smite his desk in the "mock heroics of declamation." In style he is calm, cool, logical, precise and convincing. What he says is not forgotten immediately the sound of the words dies away. It stays with the auditor and by the very force of its reasoning convinces him of the sincerity of the speaker and the soundness of the cause he advocates. Mr. Macdonald wields a very keen weapon, and to those who revel in the merciless dissection of an opponent and a complete exposure of his case he furnishes a feast of the highest political satisfaction.

Mr. McInnes is of a different type altogether. That is one reason why he and his distinguished leader will harmonize so well. They are perfectly complimentary of each other. It is not necessary to tell Victorians anything about W. W. B. McInnes as a public speaker. They know him. They understand that when he gets upon his feet there will not be a dull moment until he sits down again. His enthusiasm, his optimism, his force and his genial bonhomie are irresistible. He says he is in politics to-day because he would rather be a member of the government of British Columbia than governor of the Yukon. We can promise any Conservatives who attend the

meeting this evening that they will come away convinced by Mr. McInnes that he is in earnest when he makes this statement—that facts will be placed before them which will demonstrate that the leader of the opposition and his second in command have good reasons for the faith they express in regard to the outcome on the 2nd ult. It will do Conservatives good to accustom themselves to the style of oratory that is going to prevail in British Columbia from this time forward. It will also soften the shock of the impending change for them to know that the leaders of the new government are men whom we need not be ashamed to send to Ottawa or anywhere else to conduct our business.

## INCREDIBLE.

The Vancouver Guardian tells an extraordinary story, a tale that is almost incredible as revealing the effects upon a frigid disposition and normally cold blood of the political bacillus. Our Vancouver contemporary says the germ has so affected the Conservative candidate for Richmond, the Hon. F. Carter-Cotton, President of the Council without portfolio in the McBride government, that he is actually unbending his natural austerity to the extent of kissing babies whose fathers are suspected to have succeeded in getting their names left on the provincial voters' lists. We give this story for what it is worth, knowing that all of our readers who have the pleasure of the acquaintance of Mr. Cotton will join in our expression of incredulity. At the same time it is well to remember in connection with the matter that Mr. F. Carter-Cotton is going to insist upon becoming a member of the McBride government with portfolio after election a position which carries

with it not only a salary (which the President of the Council values not at all) and residence in Victoria (which is something worth aspiring to, and which as a matter of fact all men who have served a term in the Legislature do, hunger and thirst after). When we take these facts into consideration and couple them with the further fact that

Mr. F. Carter-Cotton is going to be opposed in Richmond not only by a strong Liberal, but by a Conservative, reputed to be the nominee of the dissenting wing of the Conservative party in Vancouver, it will be admitted that there is reason to credit the rather remarkable story of his unbending.

## EXPLODED GAS BAGS.

The organ of the government tells us that it refuses to discuss the "slanders" that have been circulated by the opposition, because the public pays no attention to such methods of conducting a campaign. The Kalem Island scandal was fully ventilated on the floor of the Legislature, and all the facts connected with it explained and the allegations exploded "like any other gas bag," we are told. Well, we may be permitted to express our doubts about that. There are certain facts relating to the Kalem Island deal that cannot be blown into space with a "poof" of either an editorial or ministerial breath. For example, it has not yet been explained why the Andersons or the Larsens, who may be very respectable and influential persons in the particular circles they adorn, fought us to the contrary, but who certainly never were important factors in the public life of British Columbia until the government of Premier McBride took them up—we say it has never been satisfactorily explained why the Andersons and the Larsens were commissioned by the Lands and Work Department to negotiate the transfer of Kalem Island to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company. Perhaps the organ will endeavor to enlighten us upon this very important point. If the matter can be satisfactorily explained, its elucidation may play an important part in the election. In the absence of an explanation we fear that the worst possible construction may be put upon the deal by the public. Mr. Larsen may be an exploded gas bag. We have not heard a word from him since the date when he announced in answer to a summons to appear before the investigation committee of the Legislature that he was very ill with cirrhosis of the liver, or some kindred complaint, and could not possibly come. But the other parties to the transaction are still with us and appear to be enjoying the best of health and the fruits of that very profitable deal. We fear they would indignantly resent the insinuation that they are "exploded gas bags." Then there is Mr. Green, the late Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, who was very prominent in connection with that rather unsavory affair, but who in his resignation has transferred all the responsibility thereto to the shoulders of the remaining members of the government—he may be an exploded politician, but, although we have said some things about him as a public man that are the reverse of complimentary, we should not like to describe him as an "exploded gas bag." Mr. Green is a very substantial entity. He cannot be blown into oblivion with a "poof" either. Why, was he compelled to resign his position, he the trusted and beloved companion of the Premier, why was he thrust out into outer political darkness if the scandals connected with his department—the Kalem Island deal and the Kitimat steal, if

anything more unsavory in its details than the Kalem Island deal—if all the scandals with which the government's name has been associated were fully discussed and ventilated on the floor of the House and the participants therein exonerated from all suggestions of wrong-doing?

The Times is in receipt of reliable information from all parts of the provinces in regard to the temper of the public and the attitude of the people in regard to the record of the government. We have been informed on the best of authority that the electorate is far from being satisfied with the verdict of the Socialist-Conservative majority of the government in the Legislature on the course of the administration—that the people are thoroughly aroused, and that when the result of the polling on the 2nd day of February is announced it will be found to be a complete endorsement of the course of the Liberal party in the Legislature and an emphatic defeat of the McBride administration.

## ALL CLEARED UP.

We are gratified beyond measure to observe that Mr. C. J. V. Spratt, in response to our not altogether unnatural inquiry under the circumstances, has lifted the veil with respect to his political position. He says: "Having been a Liberal of no importance for some years, I am surprised that my political position should have aroused such an elaborate expression of the curiosity of the editor of the Times, and however uncertain he may feel of my position at present, I feel no uncertainty whatever myself of remaining one of the unimportant Liberals." We could hardly ask for anything more explicit than this. It is evidently the intention of Mr. Spratt to support the candidates of the Liberal party at the coming election. No Liberal who intends to do that can be counted as unimportant, seeing that he intends taking part in the good work of assisting in the destruction of the government which has done more than any other government British Columbia has ever had to steep the name of the province in disgrace. Still, we think if Mr. Spratt will consider

all the circumstances of his case, he will agree with us that we were warranted in endeavoring to persuade him to state exactly where he stood. On the eve of a general election he resigned the position he held for some time as president of the Young Men's Liberal Club. In an interview with a reporter of the Colonist, the organ of the McBride government, Mr. Spratt stated that he had withdrawn from politics that he had become an independent in his political views, and that he would support those whom he deemed the most in earnest in their desire to benefit the country at large; and that finally he thought Premier McBride had adopted the only course open to him in connection with the inter-provincial conference at Ottawa. On the strength of Mr. Spratt's actions and statements the Colonist assumed that it had gained a recruit of considerable importance to the cause of degenerate Toryism as exemplified in the career of the McBride government. Our contemporary made the most of the statements and the acts of the late president of the Young Men's Liberal Club. Now we know there was absolutely no warrant for its deductions. Mr. Spratt, while not as important a Liberal as he was when he presided over the Young Men's Liberal Club, is still a supporter and an advocate of the true political faith. We are pleased to know this, not only because we now know where to place him, but because his statement of faith fully substantiates what we held in the first instance with reference to the alleged Liberal defection: that it was confined to two individuals whose reasons for desertion to the enemy would not be satisfactorily explained by the Andersons and the Larsens who were commissioners of the Lands and Work Department to negotiate the transfer of Kalem Island to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company. Perhaps the organ will endeavor to enlighten us upon this very important point. If the matter can be satisfactorily explained, its elucidation may play an important part in the election. In the absence of an explanation we fear that the worst possible construction may be put upon the deal by the public. Mr. Larsen may be an exploded gas bag. We have not heard a word from him since the date when he announced in answer to a summons to appear before the investigation committee of the Legislature that he was very ill with cirrhosis of the liver, or some kindred complaint, and could not possibly come. But the other parties to the transaction are still with us and appear to be enjoying the best of health and the fruits of that very profitable deal. We fear they would indignantly resent the insinuation that they are "exploded gas bags." Then there is Mr. Green, the late Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, who was very prominent in connection with that rather unsavory affair, but who in his resignation has transferred all the responsibility thereto to the shoulders of the remaining members of the government—he may be an exploded politician, but, although we have said some things about him as a public man that are the reverse of complimentary, we should not like to describe him as an "exploded gas bag." Mr. Green is a very substantial entity. He cannot be blown into oblivion with a "poof" either. Why, was he compelled to resign his position, he the trusted and beloved companion of the Premier, why was he thrust out into outer political darkness if the scandals connected with his department—the Kalem Island deal and the Kitimat steal, if

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## SEVERE ON SPORTSMEN.

To the Editor:—Will you kindly give space in your valuable paper for the following:

In a recent paper I noticed that Messrs. Richmond, Moustey and Megaw of Bamfield cable station were to each receive a gold watch as a recognition of services done at the time of Valencia wreck, these services being accompanied by a extra cost in living expenses now, to what they were when the present wage scale was adopted, and all are entitled to fair treatment; to fair consideration and an increase in wages.

Somers has asked the question: Why are not all civic employees paid alike? That is not our concern. That comes under the head of socialist economics.

I have no desire to do or say anything derogatory to the above-named gentlemen, but the truth hurts no one, and I believe in giving honor to whom is due. None of these men were near the wreck at the time she went to pieces, nor did they accompany Lineman Logan in an effort to succor the then survivors; in fact they were not near the wreck until a week afterwards.

The men who were there were Logan, Mr. Phillip, Daykin and myself. We were on the cliff when the vessel went to pieces and patrolled the beach afterwards night and day. Mr. Daykin for eight days, and I for thirty-four days, picking up the bodies as they came ashore. Mr. Daykin has not received the slightest recognition for his services there. So it seems to me unfair that those who did the least should receive a treat as heroes, while those who

were there and did their utmost to help receive no token of appreciation whatever.

I am satisfied with the reward I received for myself, but I cannot understand why the men from the cable station are receiving greater recognition than the rest of us did.

J. MARTIN,  
Co-oose, Vancouver Island, Dec. 24th, 1906.

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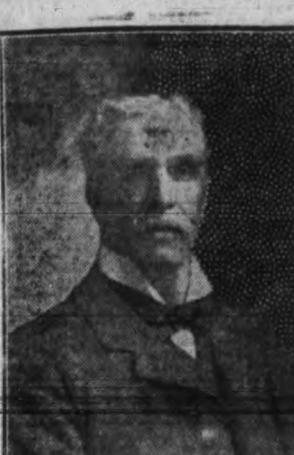
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### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the first public campaign meeting of the Canadian Labor party will be held in Labor hall.

A full attendance of members is requested at the next meeting of the Victoria Poultry Association, which will be held at the Queen's hotel tomorrow.

The Victoria Musical Society, asking the coming of Madame Schumann-Helffer, will hold their rehearsal of the "Pied Piper" at the city hall to-morrow instead of Wednesday.

On account of the week of prayer Rev. S. J. Thompson will deliver his lecture on "Love, Courtship and Marriage" next Monday evening instead of to-night in the Metropolitan church.

The regular weekly concert at the Jubilee hospital took place yesterday. The programme included an organ solo by Arthur Longfield, a violin solo by Miss Brooker, vocal selections by Misses Jennie Bishop, McCoy and Kenneth Richmond, and a cornet solo by Jas. Douglas.

—Word has been received by George Carter, of this city, informing him of the death of his brother, Anthony O. Carter, in Baltimore. The deceased made his home in the eastern city after leaving Victoria in 1886, and has resided there since. He leaves a wife and four children.

On Thursday evening the regular meeting of the sergeants' mess, Fifth Regiment, will be held in the drill hall. Every member is requested to attend as business of importance will be discussed, the principal item being the arrangements for the annual dinner under the auspices of the mess.

This evening the local branch of L'Alliance Francaise will resume the season's proceedings when a meeting will be held at the Balmoral hotel under the society's own auspices. The feature of the evening will be the reading of several French selections by Mme. and Mlle. Fausche de Kerperezon.

A meeting of the members of Victoria West Municipal Voters' Association will be held at the athletic club rooms, Catherine street, at 8 p.m. Wednesday evening. Many interesting matters will be brought forward for the meeting and every resident interested in this district is cordially invited to attend.

Oscar Lucas, who has resigned his position as city editor of the Times, to enter business in this city, was presented with an umbrella by the staff of the newspaper. The presentation was made by Robert Dunn, the editor, who paid a glowing tribute to Mr. Lucas, and on behalf of his associates, wished him success in his future career.

At 3 o'clock to-day the first service of the week of prayer took place in the Y. M. C. A. Ry. Bishop Bridge addressed the meeting. This evening the second service will take place in the Congregational church, —Pandora street, when Rev. T. W. Gladstone occupies the chair. The Rev. G. K. Adams will deliver brief address.

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## NAMES MUST BE RESTORED TO LIST

Chief Justice Hunter Decided This Morning That Payment of Two Dollars Gives Privilege of Voting.

The great majority of those whose names were removed from the city voters' list, have been restored by order of the Chief Justice. It was held by His Lordship that the payment of a minimum rate of \$2 to the city according to the amending act of 1906 entitled a householder to a vote. The declaration which was made that all rates were paid, the Chief Justice held, meant nothing more than that all the rates entitling him to a vote under the act as it stood, had been paid.

This means that nearly all the names over which there has been so much trouble will be restored by order of Chief Justice Hunter, and these persons will have a vote at the coming election on January 17th.

In Chambers this morning this matter was finally disposed of. Frank Higgins made application for a mandamus to compel the Mayor to certify to the list. He explained that the Mayor had told him and Geo. Murphy, that the court of revision had completed its work, but that he refused to certify to the list. This application for a mandamus was made on this statement of the Mayor's.

W. J. Taylor, K. C., representing the other side, said that the court of revision had not finished its work until this morning. He produced the records of the court to show that on January 2nd the court adjourned until the clerk should arrange the list, and that it should meet again on the call of the Mayor. This was done this morning, and the Mayor by resolution ordered to certify to the list.

His Lordship thought that there was nothing on which he should grant a mandamus under the circumstances, and dismissed the application without costs.

Immediately afterwards Mr. Higgins took an application before the Chief Justice to have the names complained of restored to the list.

Mr. Taylor, assisted by G. H. Barnard, and City Solicitor Mann, appeared on the other side.

After some argument His Lordship

decided against the grounds taken by

the court of revision that unless all

rates were paid the city the names in

question would have to be struck off.

He decided that every one who paid \$2

or more in rates should be entitled to

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**MORE TRIBUTES TO SCHUMANN-HEINK**

Programme at the Grand—"The Strollers" Appearance at the Victoria.

"The greatest contralto voice in the world sang to Seattle Saturday night," says the Seattle Times. "Its owner, the gracious and glorious Madame Schumann-Heink, held an immense audience at the Grand opera house enthralled with her every note, and carried it through the scale of emotions from silence that was close to tears, to delighted, spontaneous laughter and hearty, long-continued applause. The house was hers from the moment her beaming, radiant presence appeared upon the stage until she was allowed reluctantly, to say good night, which she did in her charming, whole-souled fashion, after the last encore.

"Her programme, entirely in German with the exception of the first aria, was exceptionally well balanced, and varied enough in its make-up to please everyone's musical taste. Schumann-Heink is fond of the music of the fatherland, and interprets it with pathos, humor and passion. The group of Schubert songs included 'Der Wanderer,' 'Das Land wo Meine Sprache Spricht,' and the glorious, all-compelling 'Allmacht,' whose majesty and power were made sublime.

"A cycle of Hungarian gypsy songs by Brahms were spirited, sentimental and sad, in turn, and all were sung with the inimitable art that has made a great actress as well as a great singer. Three songs by Schumann, including the buoyant and dramatic 'Fröhlingefahrt,' three of Robert Franz's 'Lied's Three Gynses,' and one other, and the 'Gerechter Gott' aria from 'Reinhardt,' concluded the programme. The great singer was graciously generous with encores, two of which were a lullaby, which reminded everyone of the brood of little Schumann-Heinks and the ever-familiar songs from 'Lucresia Borgia,' which was sung with such subtle finish and such rollicking joy that the audience rose to a climax of enthusiasm.

"It is not often that so great an artist includes in her personality so many wonderful attributes. Her magnificent physique, her tremendous vitality, her strong dignified mobile features with their kindly comforting look win every heart before she sings a note. The row of imposing orders which glisten on her breast are not so impressive as is her great, whole-hearted self. Schumann-Heink is a woman of great simplicity and naturalness, and after her first bow and her welcoming smile there comes the matchless voice, the voice, vibrant, rich, sympathetic and powerful, the voice which has moved her audiences to tears, smiles and cheers wherever she has sung, in all the countries of the globe.

"Her appreciation of the hearty welcome given her Saturday night was genuine and sincere, and her beaming smiles, which never overlooked the gallery filled with music lovers, were a benediction. This was a fashionable audience in the boxes and the parquet, but everyone in the house was a devotee of the great singer, whose superb vocal and dramatic gifts so delighted her audience. Her second appearance in Seattle under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club has created a well-defined hope that there will be a third next season.

"Miss Helen Schauel, who was at the piano, accompanied with certain and entire sympathy, and before the final aria played Liszt's 'Liebestraum' and a selection from Greig in a masterly fashion."

Madame Schumann-Heink will sing at the Victoria theatre on Wednesday evening of this week.

"The Strollers."

On Saturday evening, before a big audience, "The Strollers," a musical mixture of no great worth, was presented. The piece is described as a three act musical comedy adapted from the German, but it savors more of a musical pot pourri hastily thrown together. The theme may be a German one and it is true that one of the comedians is a German imitator, but otherwise the comedy seems to be the

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prima donna soprano, are also worthy of premier positions in any bill. G. F. Reane will sing the illustrated song "The Belle of the Ball," the new moving pictures will illustrate the chase of a diamond thief by secret service officers, and Prof. Nagel's orchestra will play the overture, "La Dame Blanche."

THE STORY OF JERRY MACAULAY.

One of His Assistants Tells the History of the Remarkable "Slum" Missionary.

Two large congregations yesterday listened to the ever-interesting story of Jerry Macaulay, the reformed New York river thief and his wonderful Water street mission in Gotham.

J. L. McComb, one of Macaulay's assistants in the mission, occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in the morning and of the Metropolitan Methodist church in the evening. With deep feeling Mr. McComb narrated the story of Jerry's life, his lowly birth, the vicious environment of his early boyhood, his notorious career on the waterfront which made him the terror of the New York police, who were unable to secure evidence to convict him, until finally he was thrown into Sing Sing on a 15 years' sentence procured on perjured evidence.

His remarkable conversion while in the prison, and his more remarkable work as a missionary to the submerged masses of the fourth ward, of which Water street was the criminal centre, were told in the sympathetic manner of one who had worked with Jerry and had had an opportunity of appraising the far-reaching influences of his benevolent work. In Mr. McComb's opinion Macaulay was responsible directly and indirectly for the conversion of over 50,000 people, the majority of whom were people who would have been reached, in all probability, through no other medium.

So great a hold he obtained on the hearts of not only the depraved elements to whom, peculiarly he was a missionary, but even Fifth avenue felt the effects of his far-reaching efforts, and when he died the funeral pageant of the erstwhile river thief and desperado, as it proceeded up Broadway, was comparable only to the funeral obsequies of the martyred presidents of the United States.

**IMPROVING MILLS.**

John Arbuthnot Has Bought a Tag and is Making Additions to Plant.

John Arbuthnot, of the Red Fir Lumber Company, has returned to Victoria after inspecting and purchasing the steamer Bell last night, to be used as a tow boat by the company in connection with the mills at Nanaimo.

The mill has badly required a tow boat, having over two million feet of timber in the water at its various logging camps, with no method of transporting them here.

The Bell is a good tow boat, 85 feet long and 25 horse power. She was built for the Royal City mills and purchased from the Vancouver Tugage & Lighter Co.

The Bell will be very useful in visiting the various camps of the Red Fir Company, one of which, employing 32 men, is located at Elk Bay, another at Graham Island, with 14 men, and another at Discovery Passage.

Construction will be started immediately by the company on the new two-story planer shed, a new shingle mill will be built and the machinery for the remodeling of the mill, such as edger, resaw, gang saw, trimmer, slash table and sorting machine, has already been ordered.

**CANARIAN PATENTS.**

Solicitor of patents and expert in patents is reported by Egerton R. Case, solicitor of patents and expert in patent causes. Temple Building, Toronto: Robt. A. Armstrong, Avenmore, Ont. ploughs; Richard H. Castle, Toronto, Ont., oven doors and lamp receptacles therefor; Prosper Cloutier, Three Rivers, Que., safety signalling devices for railway switches; Felix Danseur, Montreal, Que., snow melting apparatus; Jos. M. Fleming, Ottawa, Ont., butter separators; Wm. Hull, Souris, Man., attachments to cultivators; Jas. Wm. McDonald, Winnipeg, Man., nut locks; Frank L. Armstrong, Moose Jaw, Sask., scrapers on disc plows; Wm. Maloney, et al., Smith's Falls, Ont., combined cutting knives and distributors for adjusting means for harvester frames; Wm. Maloney, Sherbrooke, Que., threshing harvesters; Harrison C. Frost, et al., Montreal, Que., rubber hose; Wm. F. Kendall, et al., Grimsby, Ont., step ladders; Arthur P. Couture, et al., Winnipeg, Man., window hinges; Alex. Dobson, Beaverton, Ont., shockers; Frank A. Harrison, Sackville, N. B., tidal motors; Alexia L. Mansin, Hull, Que., apparatus for the production of ozone; Arthur E. Millington, Espanola, Ont., paper paring apparatus; Jos. S. Nesbitt, Victoria, B. C., flash signs.

**THE FAMINE IN RUSSIA.**

Premier Asks the Council of Ministers to Grant More Money to Assist Sufferers.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.—The appropriation of \$18,000,000 for famine relief being exhausted, Premier Stolypin has asked the council of ministers for a new credit of an equal amount. The ministry of the interior has begun the publication of weekly bulletins recording the spread of hunger typhus, scurvy and dysentery in the farming districts.

**FIRE AT VERNON.**

One of the most serious fires that ever occurred in the history of Vernon happened Wednesday night. The Odd Fellows' hall was burned. The loss, including the building, lodgemens' regalia, etc., was \$8,000.

McKee, the hypnotist, was to have performed in the hall. Some of his apparatus was taken. The wainscotting caught from an overhead drum in the furnace room, and the blaze was well under way when it was discovered.

News of the death of Ernest H. Crosby at Baltimore was received in New York on Thursday. Mr. Crosby was 36 years old, a native of New York city, formerly a member of the legislature, president of New York Anti-Separatist League for five years until 1895, and the author of various books. He was a friend and admirer of Tolstoi.

FRANK COOMBS AND MURIEL STONE Who Appear at the New Grand This Week.

Muriel Stone in the one act comedy by Chas. Horwitz, "The Last of the Troupe." This is a satire on the barn-storming companies and should be a lesson to the stage struck young ladies who think show life is one round of pleasure. The tenor solo of Mr. Coombs, half of the "Primrose" minstrels, are among the hits of the piece, which is well staged with their own scenery. Insa and Lorella, comedy acrobats, the Noetzel family of tight wire artists, and Miss Claire Maynard,

**To the Electors of the City of Victoria.**

Ladies and Gentlemen:—Having been requested by a large number of citizens to become a candidate for the office of Mayor of this city for 1907. I have consented to do so, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

T. W. PATERSON.

**To the Electors of Ward No. 2**

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I beg to offer you my services as Alderman for the current year, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

HARRY M. GRAHAME.

**Municipal Notice****Municipal Elections, 1907.**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors in the Court Room at the City Hall, in the aforesaid City on Monday, the 14th day of JANUARY, 1907, from 2 (noon) to 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor or Aldermen.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the Nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be open on THURSDAY, the 17th day of JANUARY, 1907, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 1 p. m. in the manner following:

For the office of MAYOR, in the Court Room of the City Hall, aforesaid.

For the office of ALDERMAN for Ward No. 1, in Room No. 1, at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of ALDERMAN for Ward No. 2, in Room No. 5, at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of ALDERMAN for Ward No. 3, in Room No. 7, at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of ALDERMAN for Ward No. 4, in Room No. 9, at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street.

For the office of ALDERMAN for Ward No. 5, in Room No. 11, at the Public Market Building, Cormorant street, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Mayor of the City of Victoria shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination registered owner in the Land Registry Office of Land or Real Property in the City of Victoria of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of One Thousand Dollars, or more, over and above any registered incumbrance or charge and who are otherwise duly qualified as Municipal voters.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as ALDERMAN of the City of Victoria shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination registered owner in the Land Registry Office of Land or Real Property in the City of Victoria of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of Five Hundred Dollars, or more, over and above any registered incumbrance or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as Municipal voters.

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**WANTED**—Lady living in country, near sea, would like companionable lady to board; reasonable terms. Address Box 21, Times Office.

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**WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.**  
Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

**FOR SALE**—Two good fresh Jersey cows. Apply Beesemeyer, Fraser street. Take Esquimalt car.

**WANTED**—Old copper, brass, zinc, lead and any waste material. We are dealers in all kinds of metal we are therefore prepared to pay the highest price. Call or write for price list. Victoria June Agency, 30 and 32 Store street.

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**CONVERT DULL DAYS** into busy ones. This, the Times "Want" will do for you. They will put you in touch, like "Central," with those people who want many things.

**FOR SALE**—Half interest in an old established manufacturing business. \$16,000 paid for it, and have been in constant employment to the purveyor as well. Particulars on application to Heisterman & Co., 75 Government street.

**LOST AND FOUND.**  
Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
Re George Hall Duncan, Deceased. Take notice that the purveyor of the Trustees and Executrix' Act, all creditors and others having claims against the estate of George Hall Duncan, deceased, a citizen of Victoria, Physician, who died on Dec. 21, 1906, and whose probate of whose will was granted to Samuel Arthur Baird, the executor thereon named on the 2nd December, 1906, are cordially invited to attend W. F. Fullerton, Secy.

**FOR SALE**—Naptha launch Blanche, of following dimensions: Length 20 ft.; beam, 5 ft. 2 in., depth, 5 ft. in. first-class condition. For particulars apply to E. B. Marvin & Co., 75 Wharf street.

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**NATIVE'S SONS**—Post No. 1, meets K. of H. Hall, 1st Tues. of each month, A. E. Haynes, Secy., Bk. of Commerce Bldg.

**BOARD AND ROOMS.**  
Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

**WANTED**—Board and room, with private family, for a married couple, no children. Address Box 28, Times Office.

**ROOM AND BOARD**—Moderate terms. Esquimalt street, off Douglas street.

**TO LET**—Board and rooms, piano and telephone. Bellevue, Quebec street, 3rd house from Parliament Buildings.

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**NOTICE**—I hereby give notice that no person has authority to sign any documents in my name, or to bind me in any way, unless the same be signed by me, or will be recognized as in any way binding on me. Neither will I be responsible for any purchases made on my account without my written order.

(Signed) G. B. ORIANO,  
For Geo. A. G. Ordano.

December 28th, 1906.

Notice—After this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by Mrs. W. M. Ferguson, W. Henry Fokson.

**A. B. McNEILL**  
34 BROAD ST. PHONE 45.

# Times Classified Ads.

## REAL ESTATE DIRECTORY

**THE B.C. INFORMATION AGENCY, LTD.**  
78 DOUGLAS STREET.  
PHONE 815.

**PARSONS, LOVE & CO.**  
REAL ESTATE.  
74 DOUGLAS STREET.

**LEE & FRASER,**  
REAL ESTATE AGENTS,  
11 TROUNCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C.

**VICTORIA AND DISTRICT REALTY CO.**  
8 METROPOLITAN BLOCK, OPP. POST OFFICE.

**BEAUMONT BOOGS**  
REAL ESTATE AGENT,  
6 FORT STREET.  
Established 1899. Phone 30.

JAMES BAY—Cottage, large lot fronting Erie and Ontario streets, price \$1,200.

BLANCHARD AVENUE—Modern residence, very central, corner lot, stable, fully trees, etc., price \$6,500.

ESQUIMALT—Lots 8x120, price \$100 to \$200 each.

SAANICH—Farm, about 30 acres, near Royal Oak, mostly cultivated, cottage and barns, low price for quick sale.

MOUNTAIN VIEW—14 acres, with lake frontage, only 2 miles from town line, about 10 acres, cultivated, very choice, price \$500 per acre.

BUSINESS—Southeast corner Fort Quadra and Mears streets, having 3 cottages and store thereon, price \$10,000.

STRAWBERRY VALE—10 acres, very choice land, nearly all planted in fall wheat, close to school, 4 miles from city, price \$350 per acre.

OAK BAY—Six acres, cut in half acre lots, price \$1,000 per acre.

FOWL BAY—Water frontages.

LAKE FRONTAGES—10-acre blocks, only 1/2 miles from town, price \$1,000.

DWELLING—7 rooms, over 12 acres land, orchard, garden and pasture, stream of running water, stable and chicken houses, outbuildings, price \$1,000.

6-10 ACRES—6 acres, with lake frontage, 2 story house of 8 rooms, for sale at \$5,200; good to divide in lots.

CORDOVA HILL ROAD—2 acres, all cleared and fenced, 7 roomed house, barn, good land, 100 ft. from ocean, price \$2,000; retired cart furniture, including piano, about 2 dozen chickens, etc., for the whole, \$2,500 and on terms.

ED, OVERLOOKING THE ARM, \$2,500.

THIS CANNOT REMAIN LONG AT THIS PRICE.

LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH US FOR QUICK SALE.

NEAR BURNSIDE ROAD—5 acres, in fruit, fine house, wells, price \$3,500.

4-10 ACRES—8 minutes from car, under drain, well fenced, and all clear, good for sub-division purposes, \$600 per acre.

NEAR ELK LAKE—12-30 acres, dwelling, barn, etc., \$1,000.

HOUSE AND LOT—With all modern conveniences, containing 8 rooms, on elevated avenue, price \$1,800; terms to arrange.

NORTH ROAD—5 roomed cottage and large lot, only \$1,200.

JOHNSON STREET—Cottage and lot, price \$2,000.

HILL STREET—3 houses and 2 lots for \$2,500.

DAVID STREET—2 large lots and good 6 roomed cottage for \$1,600.

GORGES ROAD—Large dwelling, with 1/2 acre of land, \$4,500.

BELCHER AVE.—6 roomed dwelling and 2 lots for \$4,000.

ADMIRAL'S ROAD—4 cottages and 4 lots for \$2,500.

BATTERY STREET—Modern bungalow, newly built, can be had on reasonable terms for \$2,700.

LOTS FOR SALE.

CALEDONIA PARK—On St. Andrew's street, lot for \$750.

BEACON STREET—Lot for \$800.

STORE STREET—2 1/2 lots, price \$5,000.

SUPERIOR STREET—Lot, 60x100, price \$2,000.

UPPER PANDORA STREET—2 large lots, \$500.

OAK BAY AVENUE—Corner lot, this side Foul Bay road, \$600.

OAK BAY AVENUE—Lot, 45 ft. x 105 ft., for \$4,500.

GREEN STREET—2 lots, \$700.

GLADSTONE AVENUE—Large lot, \$1,200.

CHANDLER—1/4 of an acre, \$175.

HERALD STREET—Large lot, cheap and on easy terms.

SIMCOE STREET—2 lots, 60 ft. x 120 ft. each, price \$1,600.

SOUTH TURNER STREET—Corner lot, same as above, can be had cheap.

STANLEY AVENUE—Good lot for \$375.

PINE STREET—Large lot, 100 ft. by 150 ft., running through to Belton Avenue, price \$2,500.

PEARSE ESTATE—Large lot, 100 ft. by 150 ft., good terms, lawn, \$1,500.

THIRD STREET—2 very large lots on corner, \$500 each, or \$2,000.

MOSS STREET—4 lots, 66 feet frontage each, for \$400 each.

SEA VIEW—On Hillside, 3 lots for \$200 each.

LEE & FRASER

11 TROUNCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C.

FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED.

4 GOVERNMENT STREET.

PANDORA STREET—Full sized lot, with 2 houses, well located, close in, price \$1,200.

\$200-2 lots, \$300 each, just off Oak Bay Avenue.

\$1,200-3 roomed cottage, and large lot, less than 10 minutes from Post Office, centrally located.

\$200-3 good lots, on First street, \$500 each.

\$1,200-1 1/2 story dwelling, Rock Bay district, a bargain.

\$2,000-3 houses at this price each, on the installment plan if necessary.

\$1,200—Large corner lot, 100 feet square, well situated, in North Ward.

ST. JOHN STREET, JAMES BAY—S. 1/2 of Lois 94 and 95, with building.

ROCKLAND AVE.—Last vacant site on Rockland Ave., nearly 1 acre, and a magnificent site.

MITCHISON DISTRICT—2 1/2 acres with splendid water frontage, partially cleared, \$1,200.

GORDON HEAD—1/4 acre, 2 acres cleared and the balance slashed, and second growth, 6,000 strawberry plants, building value \$1,000, fruit bushes, at Gordon Head should produce \$1,200 to the acre; price \$5,250, £2,000 cash and the balance on easy terms.

CADBORO BAY ROAD—Good house, with two lots, \$5,500.

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Medium, 4 lbs., 25c; Large, 3 lbs. 25c; Extra Large, 2 lbs. 25c.	
SMYRNA COOKING FIGS, 2 lbs. for .....	25c.
EVAPORATED APPLES 2 lbs. for .....	25c.
EVAPORATED APRICOTS, per lb. ....	25c.
EVAPORATED PEACHES, per lb. ....	20c.
EVAPORATED PEARS, per lb. ....	20c.
EVAPORATED NECTARINES, per lb. ....	20c.

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FRESH AND DRIED FRUIT IMPORTERS.

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### Furniture and Effects

Full particulars Sunday's Colonist.

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### MAYNARD & SON,

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Parlor—Handsome Mahogany China Cabinet; Elegant Mahogany Parlor Suite, Upholstered in Silk; Mahogany Flower Stand, Quartered Oak Centre Table, Rat-tail Rocker, Up in Silk; Large Mahogany Mirror, Fine Pictures, Lot of Other Very Fine Pictures, Very Fine Cushions, hand work; Splendid Brussels Carpet, Fine Rugs, Lace Curtains, Blinds, etc. Dining Room—Large Hall Chair, Large China Umbrella Stand, Oak Hall Table, Mahogany Hall Chair, Fine Half Chairs, Very Fine Piano Hall Carpet, Rugs, etc.

Bedroom—Very Handsome Quartered Oak Sideboard, Quartered Oak Extension Table, 6 Oak Dining Room Chairs, Cane Seat; Very Fine Mahogany Writing Table, Arm Chair, Corner Cabinet, D. in Plain, Rattan Rocker, Bamboo Book Shelves, 25 Vols. Books; Complete Dinner Set of Extra Good Quality; Splendid Line of Chintzware, Table Linens, Napkins, Couch, Oak Tables, Air-Tight Heaters, Fine Carpet, Mirrors, Pictures, Portieres, Rugs, Canary Bird Singer and Cage.

Kitchen—Very Handsome Quartered Oak Bedroom Suite, Spring and Top Mattresses, Large Oak Rockers, Bamboo Tables, Blankets, Quilts, Sheets, Pillows, Chenille, etc., and numerous articles.

Toys—Ware, Splendid Children's Curtains, Extra Fine Lot of Chenille and Tap. Drapes, etc.

Bedroom No. 2—Handsome Oak Bedroom Suite, Spring and Top Mattresses, Oak Chiffonier, Blankets, Sheets, Spreads, Feather Pillows and Cases, all these being extra good; Fine Carpet, Toilet Ware, etc.

Kitchen—Allison Range in good order, Kitchen Comfort, Linoleum, Kitchen Chairs, a Fine Lot of Enamelled Ware, Tin Ware, Metal Wringer, General Line of Kitchen Utensils.

Shed—Garden Tools, Lawn Mowers, Screen Doors, Hose, Axe, Saws, etc.

The foregoing is a list of the most important articles offered.

The bedding mentioned is of extra good quality, and consists of about 25 pairs. The furniture is just as good as new and of the most expensive kind.

On view Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning.

### MAYNARD & SON

AUCTIONEERS.

58 BROAD ST.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at 3 p.m. to-morrow at the home, North Pembroke street.

Tenders for supplies for H. M. ships at Esquimalt are being called for by the commander in charge of the naval yard. They will be received up to Monday, 14th inst., at 9 a.m., and will be for supplies up to December 31st of this year.

The Auctioneer, STEWART WILLIAMS.

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Auctioneers and Commission Agents,  
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Hold Weekly Sales of

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Duly instructed will sell by Public Auction at their Mart,

51 FORT STREET

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At 2.30 p.m., a quantity of Assaying and Surveying Requirements, including:

Assay Outfit, Scientific Books, Novels, Maps, Books on Science, Almanacs, Compas-

sopes, Drawing Instruments, Paints, Squares, Webley Revolver, Waterproof Sheet, Canvas Sheet, Camp Bedsteads, 2 Ladies' Fur Stoles, 2 Lynx Mats, Parisian Bedding, 2 Small Boxes, Water Watch in Case, Military Suit Case, Writing Case, Gladstone Bag, etc., etc.

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## The Capital Furniture Co., Ltd.

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COUCHES IN VELOUR.....	\$5.75
A FEW MORRIS CHAIRS.....	25c.
BABY CHAIRS.....	25c.
CHILDREN SETS.....	80c. to \$1.25
BRATTAN ROCKERS AND CHAIRS.....	\$2.75 to \$3.00
IRON BEDSTEADS.....	\$4.00 to \$12.00
JARDINIER STANDS.....	20c. to \$1.00
WINE GLASSES AND TUMBLERS.....	\$1.25 to \$1.75
WATER PITCHERS, all sizes.....	75c. to \$4.50 doz.
	25c. each

## A Cold Morning

Suggests Hot Cakes

WE HAVE

HALF GALLONS PURE MAPLE SYRUP, each....	85c.
QUARTS PURE MAPLE SYRUP, each....	50c.
QUARTS MAPLE FLAVOR SYRUP, each....	25c.
JAVA CANE SYRUP, a tin.....	25c.
SELF-RISING BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, per lb.....	25c.
We have every kind of morning cereals fresh from the mills.	

THE WEST END GROCERY COMPANY

PHONE 54.

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### Full Dress

The season of Operas, Dinners, Assemblies and Dances is now in full swing, and social life in the city is at its height.

No house on the Coast rises above it in the matter of supplying the Full Dress needs.

Whatever Fashion has stamped as correct will here be found.

Our Full Dress Shirts, Ties, Collars, Silk Hats, etc., will meet the whims of the most fastidious, and there is another accomplishment that distinguishes this house, namely, that of minimizing the cost.

Our prices are a trifle under any other house on the Coast.

Leaders in White Kid Gloves, 50c. to \$2.00.

### FINCH & FINCH

HATTERS

57 GOVERNMENT ST.

### LOCAL NEWS.

The public schools re-opened to-day after the Christmas vacation and a big attendance was recorded at each.

There will be a meeting of the labor forces in the city at Labor hall to-night. The business will be chiefly concerned with routine matters.

On the 22nd inst., the Poitainers,

Signers, a company of clever musicians under the management of H. D. Polmaister, will give an entertainment in the Institute hall under the auspices of the Victoria Football Club.

A light docket will be dealt with by the city council at its weekly meeting to-night. The annual report of Fire Chief Watson will be presented. In it the chief makes several recommendations, including the erection of a fire hall at James Bay, the laying of a hydrant to the fair grounds and uniforms for the brigade. The streets committee will also present a long report.

On Saturday evening the raffle for S. Goodacre's Winton Touring Car took place at the Gorge, the prize going to V. Paula, who held the winning ticket, No. 1,786. There was a fair attendance of interested ticket-holders, and the committee which had charge of the raffle was composed of the following: W. G. Lemm, H. Leiser, W. Skiles and P. R. Fleming. George Smith did the drawing, and there was a good number of those interested present.

The Manitoba Free Press mentions,

in a recent issue, the practice of many Victorians which is becoming more prevalent every year, of sending Christmas gifts of flowers picked during the festive season in local gardens.

Dr. Phair and other residents of the wheat metropolis received roses, verbenas and other blooms from J. Howard Chapman, of Victoria. The immense good such a pretty custom works in the way of advertising Victoria can readily be understood.

In the police court this morning Nakamoto, a Jap, was charged with stealing a small home savings bank,

containing \$25, from K. Osawa, who lives at a Japanese boarding house on Flanagan street. The prisoner was arrested by Detectives Palmer and Macdonald on Saturday afternoon. He said, in answer to the charge, "Me no steal money," an equivalent to pleading not guilty, and was remanded until to-morrow. Two drunks were arrested the usual fines for first offence.



Everybody Smokes Old Chum.

